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1-29-03**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**Attention: Examiner Shaojia Jiang  
Group Art Unit 1617

Applicant: Endre Markovits SCHERSL

Title: Composition Containing  
Phytosterol and Policosanol  
Esters of Fatty Acids for  
Reducing Blood Cholesterol  
and Triglycerides

Serial No: 09/772,790

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE  
TO OFFICE ACTION**

The Honorable Commissioner  
of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action indicated as having been mailed on July 16, 2002.

Please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please delete claims 12 through 35.

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. A composition for lowering LDL-cholesterol level[s] or [for] elevating HDL-cholesterol level[s] in blood of a mammal [or both, comprising an] wherein the composition comprises one or more [ester of a policosanol or a mixture or] esters of policosanol[s] wherein the policosanol is selected from the group consisting of eicosanol, heneicosanol, docosanol,